





## FOR INFANTICIDE.

Diabolical Act of a Mother and Her Stepmother.

THEY KILLED THE OFFSPRING OF THEIR INCESTUOUS LUST.

Mysterious Shooting at Springfield, Ill.—A Nurse Girl's Experiment With Poison on a Child—Sawelle's Head Found Where His Brother Placed It—The Record of Misdeeds.

HENSTVILLE, Mo., Dec. 7.—On July 9 last two boys, while fishing in the Wabash Railroad pond or lake, asked out at the end of one of their lines, aided by the other, the headless body of an infant, apparently about eight or ten months old. The child is the alleged offspring of Bellah Davis and Ed. H. Davis, the latter being Mrs. Davis's stepson. Mrs. Davis is a woman about 31 years of age and the stepson 22. A good deal of excitement was occasioned here at the time and, after the inquest before Coroner Arnold and a preliminary hearing before a Justice of the peace, the prisoners were committed to jail and subsequently the trial of the case was set for Dec. 7 and commenced to-day in special session of the Circuit Court at this place before Judge Lockhart.

The Sheriff has been busy all morning awaiting the special panel, of which the jury to try the case is to be selected.

F. J. Wiley, Prosecuting Attorney of this (Randolph) county, is prosecuting the case and Alex H. Waller and W. A. Rothwell, Jr., defending.

SHOT BY A NEGRO.

MYSTERIOUS ASSAULT LAST SATURDAY AT SPRINGFIELD, ILL.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 7.—One of the most diabolical deeds was perpetrated last Saturday in this city that has ever been known here. About 6:30 o'clock Frank Rackham, residing on the northwest corner of Eighteenth street and South Grand avenue, was on his way down town, and when he reached the house of W. H. Hatcher, he saw William Groves, both colored, near the corner of Twelfth and Kansas streets, he heard something strike against the house. As soon as Mr. Rackham heard the noise he went to the door of the house and a colored man came out and asked him if he threw the missile. He answered that he did not, nor knew nothing about it. The colored man then went back into the house and immediately came out with a .22-caliber revolver and fired twice at Mr. Rackham. One of the shots missed him and the other one struck him in the right side of the neck in the fleshy part and ranged slightly upwards and lodged near the skin on the left side. The bullet barely grazed the main artery in the neck, but if it cut in two, would certainly have resulted in Mr. Rackham's death. As it is the wound is considered dangerous, and his recovery is not certain. Hatcher was arrested and lodged in jail and immediately taken to the headquarters for the purpose of executing him in regard to the shooting.

STABBING AFFAIR.

CENTRALIA, Mo., Dec. 7.—O. D. Swain of this place, a painter by trade, was shot on Saturday night by Jack Self, also of this place. The trouble occurred in a shooting gallery, Swain disputing with Self as to the number of shots claimed. Whereupon Self drew a knife and made at Swain, cutting him on the hand, over the breast and across the abdomen, but was brought to a halt by Swain drawing his revolver. Hysterical and in a rage, Swain shot at Self, but missed him and Self, taking advantage of the confusion, fled. Both parties were intoxicated and both were promptly arrested.

FIGHT OVER A SCHOOL ELECTION.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 7.—A fight between Poles at 3 o'clock yesterday morning resulted in the serious injury of Francis Kalkinski, Michael Kalkinski and John Dumorski were rival candidates in an election for Saturday for Director of the Polish school during the ensuing year. Kalkinski won and generally kept of beat for his friends. The school-house, Dumorski got drunk elsewhere and, with a knife in his hand, suddenly entered the school-house. A fight with knives and revolvers followed. All were arrested except Dumorski, who fled.

FETTERED MURDER.

ASHLAND, Neb., Dec. 7.—On Saturday Mrs. Frank Predeaux gave birth to a dead child, the skull of which looks as though it had been crushed by an ax. Physicians say that the child's death was caused by a shock received by the mother three months ago when Daniel Smith raised a fight at her house. Predeaux before his wife's eyes. The men were quarreling over the possession of Predeaux's farm, which was a portion of Smith's land. Mrs. Predeaux fainted during the quarrel. Smith was arrested yesterday and held without bail.

EXPERIMENTING IN POISON.

BERLIN, Dec. 7.—A nursemaid named Wilhelmajaloh has been arrested for poisoning the child of her employer named Goerlich. She has confessed that she administered arsenic to the child as an experiment, with the intention of seeing what would happen. Some of the same drug if it killed the child, since the publication of the particulars of this case in the daily papers, the farmer has deposed that an illegitimate child of Wilhelmajaloh died suddenly last Thursday after a visit to his mother.

BUST RUSTLERS.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 7.—Senator John Durbin of Cheyenne, Wyo., in speaking of the Wyoming tragedies and murders said that the "rustlers" or cattle raiders were driving the stockmen out of the business in that state, and that nothing short of a general uprising would do any good. He said that he had been compelled to move out and give up the stock-raising business on the Snake River country, where he and his partner had driven off the best and killed the cows and there so many and so large that the stockmen could do nothing against them.

TRANSPORTING STOLEN PROPERTY.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 7.—Robert L. Stanford was brought here and jailed yesterday, charged with bringing stolen property into the state. He was arrested at Franklin, Ky., where he is a citizen. The alleged stolen property was coupons from Bonds stolen from the estate of W. I. Hilton, who died near Franklin some time ago.

A MURDERER MAN'S HEAD FOUND.

GREAT FALLS, N. H., Dec. 7.—The head of Hiram Sawelle, who was murdered by his brother Isaac Sawelle, has been found in the State of Maine at the spot indicated by Isaac. He was wrapped up in a shirt and buried in a mound.

DEE TO JEALOUSY.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 7.—W. M. McCubbin, at Mayville, Ark., shot and killed his wife and himself last Saturday night. The trouble was due to the jealousy of the husband.

MISCELLANEOUS CRIMINAL NEWS.

Gov. Hovey of Texas has offered a reward of \$100 for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the parties that tarred and feathered H. Sedgwick, the Kansas City correspondent of the Kansas City Evening Sun. George Hill and Brazen Bell have been arrested at Seymour, Mo., on suspicion of having committed several burglaries reported there last week.

The jury in the trial of Dr. J. L. Taylor at St. Joseph, Mo., for the murder of Fannie Hatter's baby, was unable to agree upon a verdict and a new trial will be necessary.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Samuel Silverburg.....2229 Franklin av.  
Alice Williams.....1907 Taylor st.  
Charles Houland.....St. Paul, Minn.  
Olive H. Stetley.....St. Paul, Minn.  
Michael Clark.....King's highway and N. R. rd.  
Kate Schuppinger.....Covington, Ky.  
Bernard M. O'Connor.....St. Louis, Mo.  
Margaret O'Connor.....4545 N. Broadway

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We will continue the great CARPET SALE at the prices advertised last week for six days more, beginning to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Axminster Carpets this week at \$1.25 and \$1.35, worth \$1.75 and \$2. Moquette and Velvet Carpets at 85c, \$1 and \$1.15 which would be cheap at 50 per cent more money.

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Very many choice patterns of each grade still in stock. Buy this week and you will be certain to secure a bargain.

## LACE, SILK AND PORTIERE CURTAINS

Every buyer of Curtains should see the beautiful goods which we will exhibit this week in our Curtain Department.

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Novelties in the various grades of Silk Curtains.

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## AS SEEN IN DEATH.

Marked Peculiarities in the Face of the Bomb-Thrower.

ONCE SEEN IT WOULD NEVER BE FORGOTTEN.

The Face Photographed—He Was Not Southworth of San Francisco—Indications Point to His Identity With Anarchist Wissmann—The Niedringhaus Card Gives No Clue.

New York, Dec. 7.—The identity of the man who threw the bomb which caused the horror of Friday last is still unsolved. The face of the man who was seen at the Morgue had changed but little in death. It was that of a highly cultivated and intellectual man, but of that type which, when once seen, does not easily fade out of the mind.

Meeting the owner of the face for the first time the casual observer would instinctively



The Bomb-Thrower after Death.

associate him with revolution, anarchy, socialism, dynamite and feverish unrest. He had a broad, lofty forehead retreating toward the temples. The nose was of perfect aquiline shape, surmounting a firm, resolute mouth. The chin was round, receding and weak. The ears, set well back, were of ordinary size and a singularly delicate cast. The cheeks were thin and wan, while the whole lower part of the face had been covered by a full black beard and mustache, the beard, like the hair, being pointed. Where the flame stung it the beard had turned to a reddish brown. One of the man's steel gray eyes was closed, the other was half open, while the lips were parted, showing a row of white teeth.

It was not so forthright.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—Southworth, who is believed in New York to be the bomb-thrower, is well known here, but it is not believed he is the man who threw the bomb. Chief of Police Crowley said he hardly believed that Southworth was the man. He was not as violent while here as some of the Anarchist agitators, although he was acquainted with them.

"The act of that man in New York," said the chief, "appears to me to be more like the work of the Anarchist, Wissmann, who

was formerly in this city. He is a rabid Anarchist and has always preached the use of dynamite. He has been in New York for some time, engaged on an Anarchist paper known as the *Arbeiter Zeitung*."

Several detectives, who knew both Southworth and Wissmann, expressed themselves in style of work. Some half dozen friends of Southworth were interviewed, but all expressed their belief that the card belonged to one who was not capable of committing such a crime.

NOT KNOWN IN ST. LOUIS. The story from New York to the effect that the man who threw the bomb at Russell Sage was from St. Louis and had been employed at the St. Louis Stamping Works is discredited by Mr. Niedringhaus, who had an investigation made at his rolling mills and stamping works this morning. The only clue to indicate that the man was from here was a torn pay card having the name of the Niedringhaus firm and the date October, with the amount \$18.60. No name was on the card and it was not certain that the card belonged to the assassin. Mr. Niedringhaus had an inquiry made through all the branches of his establishment but could find no one who would fill the bill. Mr. Thomas Niedringhaus made a personal investigation in the roller mills. He said: "The rolling mill hands are the only ones we pay on cards. The rest get their money in envelopes. I could find no record there of any man discharged, or who had left since October with that amount owing him. There was no one there who bore the name of Niedringhaus, except where it appears in subjoined list. The card was obtained and a copy of the card furnished the firm."

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Called to See the Editor. [The following is published in the *Oceana* (San Francisco), with and without apologies to the editor of the *Arbeiter Zeitung*.]

A gentleman called at the St. Louis office on Tuesday, who, from all appearances, had been in the shooting at Collins. The gentleman was informed with all politeness that the St. Louis office was not in the city. The gentleman was informed that the St. Louis office was not in the city. The gentleman was informed that the St. Louis office was not in the city.

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come back yet, and the aforesaid "Jack" hopes he won't, for he is "skeert."

THE LONGEST DAY.

It Depends on the Season and the Location—Various Places Contrasted.

From the Kansas Farmer. It is quite important, when speaking of the longest day of the year, to say what part of the world we are talking about, as will be seen by the following list, which tells the length of the longest day in several places. How unfortunate are the children in Iceland, where Christmas is less than three hours in length!

On Stockholm, Sweden, it is eighteen and one-half hours in length.

At Spitzbergen the longest day is three and one-half months.

At London, England, and Bremen, Prussia, the longest day has sixteen and one-half hours.

At Hamburg, in Germany, and Danzig, in Prussia, the longest day has seventeen hours.

At Warburg, Norway, the longest day lasts from May 21 to July 2, without intermission.

At St. Petersburg, Russia, and Tobolsk, Siberia, the longest day is nineteen hours and the shortest five hours.

On June 21 brings a day of nearly twenty-four hours, and Christmas, which is on Dec. 25, is the longest day.

At New York the longest day is about fifteen hours long, and at Montreal, Canada, it is sixteen hours.

Some of the inscriptions found on bells are of unique interest. The independence bell of the city of New York, for example, bears the inscription: "Proclaim liberty throughout all the land, to all the inhabitants thereof."

The following in whole or part, is often found on old and new bells, generally inscribed in Latin: "I bemoan the burial; I hate the lightning; I announce the Sabbath; I arouse the slothful; I dissipate the winds; and I appease the angry."

On the great alarm bell at Ghent is the following: "My name is Roland; when I quell there is fire, and when I ring, there is victory in the land."

On a bell in Shalburne: "Lord! I quell this furious flame. Arise, run, help, put out the same."

On a bell in Derbyshire: "Mankind, like me, are often found, possessed of naught but folly and sin."

On a bell in Worcestershire: "If you would know when we was run, it was in March, 1701."

On a bell at Binstead: "Samuel Knight made this ring, being a student of the law, and a lawyer of the name of Knight."

On a bell in Oxfordshire: "I ring to sermon with a lusty boom, that all may come, and none may stay at home."

On a bell in Berkshire: "At proper time my voice I'll raise, and sound to my subscribers the bell of the future."

On one in Hampshire: "When the church is in a hurry, call to the grave will summon you, call, death to the grave will summon you."

On one in Derbyshire: "When of departed hours we toll the knell, instruction take, and use the future well."

In this connection Moore's lines are worthy of reproduction:

These evening bells; these evening bells; there's many a tale their music tells of youth and home and that sweet time when last we parted, and that time when last we met.

The Kind of Horn It Was. From the Philadelphia Record. The most popular horn at the foot-ball game last Sunday was one which did not make any noise itself, but got there at the end of the coaches, and from the coaches, which it was passed around must have possessed some quality not found in the other horns, for it was heard to pierce the horn ever made. At very short intervals the fellow would place it to his lips and throw his head back. Then his cheeks would bulge out as if for a mighty blast, and in a moment the horn would be heard to pierce the air with a loud, clear, ringing sound. "They can't get any noise out of that horn at all," the man on the left remarked with a sigh that he guessed there was something wrong with the horn. The alleged "horn" was a cleverly concealed whisky flask.

DIAMONDS, exquisite new settings; large and direct importers. Mermot & Jaccard, Broadway and Locust.

Mr. Kennedy and Mike Sullivan, two well-known police characters, were arrested yesterday morning by Detective Burke and Tracy. They are suspected of being in the robbery of Joseph Collins, a cigar store and Mike Sullivan's saloon. Both robbers occurred last week.

Suppose you've heard all your friends talking about those stylish wide wale serges that we are selling for 48 cents? It's every word true. And did they tell you that they have been 65c and that they are 40 inches wide?

It's always as well to hear both sides of a story. There's a big line of ladies' 85-cent ribbed vests to go for 59 cents. English cashmere 85-cent black hose for 50 cents, and fine hand-sewed \$4.50 boots for \$3.50; the other side of the story is that they are all in broken sizes.

And now for an item that stands for a rush in the fur department to-morrow: French sealskin muffs, sold regularly at \$3 and \$2.50, reduced to \$1.48. Just five hundred of them. Take the east elevator to second floor.

A present for a housekeeper: A linen tea set of cloth and napkins for \$3. Special price on hem-stitched sets this week. Have you seen the souvenir doilies and the dainty squares in Barr's table linen stock? All new and pretty enough to delight the heart of any housekeeper.

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From Goldwater's Geographical Magazine. Even before sunrise on the great day you will be warned of what is to come by an uproar that might make you think of the fellow's famous appeal to his haunting calls to tell their tents like the Arabs, and silently steal away. It is a clear proof that he never was in Somali Land; for the Arab of the desert, whether folding his tent, or leading his camel, cheating his brother out of the fifth part of a cent, robbing a Christian dog, or murdering a shipwrecked sailor, can get nothing done without making as much noise, and to as many ears, as if he were a mob-organ.

Fire the first cry of sunrise has streamed along the night cry beyond Bebera, the wide, bare, dusty market-place in front of the market of the great Mogora, as if he were a mob-organ.

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The Biggest and Richest Plums of All.

Ladies' Black Astrachan Trimmed Cheviot Reefer Jackets, now \$10.85, were \$18.75.  
Ladies' tan and gray Camel's-hair Reefer Jackets, satin-lined fronts, full collar and facing of a very fine grade of opossum, now \$18.75, were \$22.50.  
Ladies' plain Coat Newmarkets in plaid, plain or stripe styles, loose fronts; also, close-fitting styles, tailor-made, in solid colors; also, a line of figured styles, goods that have sold formerly from \$7.50 up to \$15, will close out the entire lot at \$2.99 a garment.  
Ladies' Plush Reefers, with wool Astrachan collars and wide facings; also, a lot of long, close-fitting coats, trimmed elaborately with wool Astrachan, goods that have formerly sold for \$30, \$35 and \$37.50, will close out this lot at \$12.49 a garment.  
An elegant lot of Ladies' Moufflon Trimmed Jackets, in tan only, now \$19.25, were \$27.50.  
Children's Plaid Gretchen Cloaks, full skirt, ages 6, 8 and 10 years, now \$3.50, were \$5.00.  
Children's Plaid Beaver Gretchens, with belt and buckle, now \$4.00, were \$5.50.  
Children's Long Hip Seam Coat, something quite new, with double collar, now \$4.75, were \$6.75.  
Children's Hip Seam Coats in elegant quality of plaid, now \$7.50, were \$9.50.  
A line of Children's Gray and Black Plaid Gretchens, now \$3, were \$6.  
Misses' Broche Stripe Cloth Gretchens, full skirt, 10, 12 and 14 years, silk girdle, now \$5.50, were \$8.50.  
Misses' Long Coats, navy blues, edged with Astrachan, ages 10 and 12, now \$4.75, were \$6.75.  
Misses' Gray Mixed Long Coats, double-breasted, now \$6.25, were \$9.75.  
Misses' Navy Blue Cloth Jackets, ages 12, 14, 16 and 18, light Astrachan collar, now \$5.39, were \$7.50.

#### SILKS THIS WEEK FOR "GLORY."

Black and White Plaid Silks, 25c; reduced from 65c.  
24-inch Armure Stripes, in gray only, 47½c; reduced from \$1.25.  
Figured Bengaline, 47½c; reduced from \$1.25.  
Colored Satin Stripes, extra quality, 57½c; were \$1.25.  
Plaid Silks, double warp, 57½c; reduced from \$1.25.  
Broadened Silks, extra quality, colored, 75c; reduced from \$1.50.  
Cream Broadened China Silks, 47½c; reduced from 85c.  
Broadened Silks, extra quality, \$1.00; reduced from \$1.75.  
Colored Satins, a full line, 35c; reduced from 50c.  
32-inch China Silks, in all colors, 45c; reduced from 65c.  
Colored Silk Surah, 32½c; reduced from 50c.  
Black Peau de Soie, all pure silk, 65c; reduced from \$1.00.  
25-inch Fulle Francaise, 85c; reduced from \$1.35.  
Black Silks in fancy weaves, 75c; reduced from \$1.25.  
Black Merveilleux, 65c; reduced from \$1.00.  
Black Silk Armures, 75c; reduced from \$1.25.  
24-inch Gros-Grains, 95c; reduced from \$1.35.  
24-inch Gros-Grain Cashmere Sublime, \$1.12; reduced from \$1.75.

#### Upholstery Department.

200 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3½ yards long, assorted styles, at \$1.25 per pair; were \$1.75.  
150 pairs Fine Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3½ yards long, at \$1.85 per pair; regular price, \$2.50.  
85 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, real choice goods, at \$2.25 per pair; were \$3.15.  
100 pairs Fine Lace Curtains, Brussels effects, at \$3.50 per pair; regular price, \$4.50.  
120 pairs Irish Point Lace Curtains, 3½ yards long, at \$3.50 per pair; regular price, \$4.75.  
65 pairs extra fine Irish Point Lace Curtains, at \$5.50 per pair; regular price, \$7.75.  
100 Lace Bed Sets at \$1 per set; regular price, \$1.50.  
135 pairs Turkoman Portieres (in red, blue and olive) at \$1.50 per pair; regular price, \$2.25.  
75 pairs heavy Chenille Portieres, solid colors, with fringe at top and bottom, at \$4.25 per pair; were \$5.75.  
35 pairs fine Chenille Portieres, with fine dais and fringe at top and bottom (red and gold), at \$4.75 per pair; regular price, \$6.00.  
50 pairs Oriental Cross-striped Silk Curtains, extra fine goods; were \$6.50, \$7 and \$7.50 per pair; your choice at \$4.50.  
30 pieces fine Imported Madras, 50 inches wide, at 40c per yard; regular price, 60c.  
120 pieces Imitation China Silk, 34 inches wide, all choice styles, at 11c per yard; were 17½c.  
45 pieces Ecru Curtain Sorin, 40 inches wide, at 4c per yard; regular price, 7½c.  
2 cases Imported Furniture Cretonnes, all the newest designs, at 15c per yard; regular price, 22½c.

#### Gloves.

100 dozen Ladies' 8-button length Undressed Kid Mousquetaires, in tan colors, sizes from 5½ to 7, regular \$1.25; now 60c a pair.  
1 lot 50 dozen Men's 2-button Kid Gloves, in colors, were \$1.35, and good value at that price; now \$1 a pair.  
Ladies' 8-button length, finest quality white Chamisso Gloves, were \$1.25; now \$1 a pair.  
Ladies' pure Silk Mittens, with bow at the wrist, worth 85c; now 60c a pair.  
50 dozen Men's fine quality Jersey-top all-wool Cashmere Gloves, were 25c; only 15c a pair.  
Gentlemen's fine full regular made English Knit Gloves, were 65c, now 40c a pair.  
Gentlemen's all-wool Jersey top Cashmere Gloves, worth 60c, now 35c.  
Ladies' and Misses' Jersey Mittens, in black, were 20c, now 13c a pair.  
Ladies' 6-button length Jersey-top all wool Cashmere Gloves, were 35c; now 25c a pair.  
1 lot Boys' extra heavy wool Mittens, were 25c, now 15c a pair.

#### Skirts.

At 85c—25 dozen 10-4 all-wool Skirt patterns; were \$1.25.  
At 97c—40 dozen 10-4 all-wool Skirt patterns, shrunk; were \$1.40.  
At \$1.25—10 dozen extra heavy 10-4 Skirt patterns; were \$1.50 and \$2.  
At \$1.75—20 dozen best quality shrunk Skirt patterns; were \$2.50.  
At \$1.25—5 dozen black quilted Skirts, cotton-flannel lined; were \$1.65.  
At \$1—10 dozen black satoon lined; were \$1.50.  
At \$1.25—8 dozen Melton cloth Skirts; were \$1.75.  
At \$1.95—5 dozen quilted satin Skirts; were \$2.75 and \$4.

#### IMPORTANT NOTICE.

### Her Majesty's Corset

BEST IN THE WORLD.

WE DESIRE to state to all ladies that the Princess of Wales Co., the manufacturers of Her Majesty's Corset, feeling that the many good points of their celebrated Corset are not fully understood, will therefore have at our store on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Dec. 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th, Miss Helen Mahon, for the sole purpose of explaining the reasons why Her Majesty's Corset should be worn in preference to Corsets of any other make.  
It is the wish of the Princess of Wales Co. that Miss Mahon should have the privilege of trying on all ladies who will allow it Her Majesty's Corset, and thus illustrate, without doubt, by so doing, the magnificent figure it will create, and Miss Mahon will at the same time explain all of its good points.  
We trust that as many ladies as possibly can will avail themselves of this great opportunity to learn what a perfectly fitting corset really is.  
We guarantee every pair of Her Majesty's Corsets that we sell, and are confident that all who wear it will find it superior to all others. Yours truly,

D. CRAWFORD & CO.

#### Ladies' Suits.

Ladies' all-wool cloth Suits, handsomely braided, colors navy blue and black, for \$4.75; reduced from \$8.50.  
Ladies' cashmere and cloth Suits, all shades, for \$5; reduced from \$9.50.  
Ladies' extra heavy quality of ladies' cloth or Tricot Suits, tailor finish and very stylish, for \$9.50; reduced from \$15.  
Ladies' Suits in camel's-hair or Scotch cheviot, in rich dark shades; elegant suits for \$11.50; reduced from \$18.50.  
Ladies' Suits in China Silk, all the new shades and patterns, for \$12.50; reduced from \$22.50.  
Ladies' Planellette Tea Gowns, good quality and perfect fitting, for \$1.49; reduced from \$2.25.  
Ladies' best quality Calico Wrappers, lined, well made and perfect fitting, for 95c; reduced from \$1.50.  
Ladies' Colored Silk Waists, good quality and very dressy, for \$4.25; reduced from \$7.50.  
Ladies' Silk Waists in extra heavy quality of Black Surah Silk, beautifully made and finished, for \$6.50; reduced from \$10.50.

#### Wash Goods.

1,500 yards of 27-inch Printed Serges in plaids and polka dots, 4c a yard; were 7½c.  
Our entire stock of Fancy Dress Prints, in all the best and leading brands made, going during this, the last week of the sale, at 5c a yard; were 7½c.  
2,000 yards of Dardanelle Plaid Suitings, 5c a yard; were 10c.  
50 pieces of Plaid Dress Gingham, 5c a yard; were 10c.  
50 pieces of brown and white checked Apron Gingham, 5c a yard; were 8½c.  
100 pieces of Scotch Diagonal, Bedford Cord and Camel's Hair yard-wide Suitings at 10c a yard; were 15c.  
Ladies' 8-button length Zephyr Dress Gingham, dark styles, 7½c a yard; were 12½c a yard.

#### Children's Suits.

Girls' All-wool Gretchen Dresses, neat and stylish, for \$3.00; reduced from \$4.25; ages 10 and 12 years.  
Girls' All-wool Gretchen Dresses, well made and perfect fitting, for \$2.75; reduced from \$3.90; ages 8 to 9 years.  
Boys' two-piece Kid Suits, in navy blue cloth, for \$2.25; reduced from \$3.75; ages 2 to 6 years.  
Boys' two-piece Kid Suits in all-wool gray and tan mixed plaids for \$3; reduced from \$4.50; ages 2 to 6 years.  
Boys' two-piece Kid Suits, in heavy brown plaid, all-wool, good, serviceable suits for \$3.50; reduced from \$5; ages 2 to 6 years.  
Boys' two-piece Kid Suits in fine navy blue cloth for \$3.75; reduced from \$5.50; ages 2 to 6 years.

#### Blankets and Comforts.

155 pairs heavy white Blankets at \$2 per pair; regular price \$2.50.  
120 pairs heavy white Blankets at \$1.50 per pair; regular price \$2.25.  
75 pairs fine white Wool Blankets at \$2.75 per pair; regular price \$3.65.  
2 cases white Wool Blankets, 11-4 size, at \$3.25 per pair; regular price \$4.25.  
35 pairs fine Australian wool white Blankets at \$5.50 per pair; regular price \$7.75.  
65 pairs extra fine California wool Blankets at \$7.50 per pair; regular price \$10.50.  
40 pairs very fine white wool Blankets, 12-4 size, at \$7.75 per pair; regular price, \$10.75.  
100 pairs scarlet Blankets, 11-4 size, at \$2.40 per pair; regular price, \$3.25.  
38 pairs scarlet Blankets, California wool, 12-4 size, \$7 per pair; regular price, \$10.  
12 halves Bed Comforts, choice chintz styles, at \$1.75 each; regular price, \$2.50.

#### Shawls.

Large size Heavy Beaver Shawls, now \$1; were \$1.50 each.  
Full size All-Wool Shawls, extra good value, at \$1.25; were \$1.65 each.  
All-Wool Double Shawls in gray and brown, full size, now \$3.50; were \$4.75 each.  
Reversible Beaver Shawls, all in light colors latest design, extra value, at \$3.95; were \$5 each.  
All-Wool Double Shawls, extra fine quality, size 72x144, now \$5; were \$6.75 each.  
Reversible Velvet Beaver Shawls, all the latest designs, extra fine and heavy, now \$6; were \$8.50 each.  
Assorted Persian Shawls, beautiful designs, splendid colors, now at \$3.75, \$5 and \$7.50 each.  
Also a large assortment of Shoulder Shawls now at 50c, 75c and \$1.25 each.

#### Flannels.

At 7½c—100 pieces elegant styles Dress Flannel; were 15c.  
At 8½c—50 pieces French designs Printed Flannels; were 15c and 17½c.  
At 10c—1 case fast colors, neat designs, in Shirting Stripes; were 15c.  
At 12½c—35 pieces best quality Serge Flannels, dark styles; worth 20c.  
At 13½c—1 case Scotch Flannel Shirting, fast colors and shrunk, were 30c and 35c.  
At 25c—15 pieces 38-inch heavy Striped Flannel; were 40c.  
At 25c and 35c—23 pieces heavy Navy Blue Twilled Flannel; were 30c and 50c.  
At 35c and \$1.15—50 pieces Colored Embroidered Flannel; were \$1.25 and \$1.50.  
At 35c—15 pieces 28-inch Children's Flannel; were 40c.  
At 35c—21 pieces new styles in Stripes and Plaid Carleton Cloakings; were 75c.  
At 35c—10 pieces 4-light-weight plaid Cloakings; were \$1.35.

#### Boys' Knee Pants.

Boys' Knee Pants, in a large assortment of stripes, checks and mixed colors, heavy weights, were 60c; now 35c.  
Boys' Casimere Knee Pants, in a variety of different patterns, extra heavy weights, were 50c; now 40c.  
Boys' Casimere Knee Pants, in stripes, checks and mixed colors, were \$1; now 75c.

#### Art Department.

20 dozen 8x36 Tinted Art Squares, all new and beautiful designs, 75c each; were \$1.50.  
8 dozen Tinted Scarfs, 18x54 inches, fringed ends, at 75c each; were \$1.25.  
10 dozen China Silk Head Rests, finished with large silk tassels, at 25c each; were 45c.  
30 dozen Biscue Plaques in a beautiful assortment of paintings, all sizes from 6 to 14 inches; price from \$1 to \$3.25 each.  
10 dozen Blotters, size 12x15, with celluloid letter pockets, beautiful hand paintings, at 75c each.  
100 pieces very best quality Drapery Silks, in all the new and pretty patterns, at 75c per yard.  
1 lot Silk Scarfs, with bolting-cloth ends and hand-painted, at 50c each; were 75c.  
11 dozen Tinted Ties, 18x36 in., with fringed ends, at 25c each; were 50c.  
4 dozen Satin Hand-Painted Cushions, size 14x16 inches, at 50c each; were \$1.50.

#### Fancy Goods.

Manicure Sets, 25c; former price, 75c.  
Work Boxes, 25c; former price, 50c.  
Glove and Handkerchief Boxes, Silk Plush, 25c a set; former price, 75c.  
Silver Picture Frames, 25c; worth 50c.  
Cuff and Collar Boxes, 35c; former price, 75c.  
Checker Boards, 15c; former price, 25c.  
Scholars' Companions, 15c; former price, 25c.  
Wood Writing Desk, 50c; former price, \$1.00.  
Silk Plush Albums, 50c; former price, \$1.00.  
Manufacturers' samples of Albums, in leather and plush, consisting of 1,785 different styles; prices from \$1.50 up to \$7.50; cost to manufacture, \$2.50 to \$15 each.

#### Laces.

Black Spanish Gimpure Laces, every thread silk warranted, now 10c, 12½c and 15c a yard; were 20c, 25c and 30c a yard; from 3 to 6 inches wide.  
Fancy Cream Laces, width 3 inches, now 3½c a yard; were 10c a yard.  
Black Spanish Gimpure and Chantilly Lace Nets, 27-inch, all silk, just given away at 60c a yard; were \$1.50 a yard.  
Lace-edge Skirt Plaiting, now 10c a yard, were 15c a yard.  
Black Spanish Gimpure Scarfs, all silk, at 35c each, were 60c each.  
Fancy Cream Laces, Trimmed Handkerchiefs or Pinushon Covers, now 10c each, were 40c each.  
Plaited Fautleroy Ruchings, now 2½c a yard, were 15c a yard.  
Children's Lace and Embroidered Collars at 10c, 15c, 20c and 25c each; less than half price.  
All our 12½c and 15c Face Veils at 5c each.  
25 dozen Ecru and White Lace Pillow Shams at 25c a pair, were 50c a pair.

#### Embroidery Special.

219 pieces beautiful Irish Point Embroidery, from 4 to 8 inches, at 10c a yard, reduced from 45c a yard.  
Mother Hubbard Gowns, surplus yoke, embroidery trimmed and tucked, were \$1; now 85c.  
Chemises of best quality muslin, trimmed with cambric ruffles, were 40c; now 35c.  
Chemises trimmed with deep embroidery and cambric ruffles, were 65c; now 45c.  
Plain Drawers, made of good muslin, tucked, were 35c; now 25c.  
Drawers, Embroidery, Trimmed, were 55c; now 45c.  
Muslin Skirts; Tuck and Embroidery Trimmed, were 55c; now 65c.  
Muslin Skirts Trimmed with deep Torchon Edge, with insertion to match, were \$1.35; now 95c.  
Children's Cloaks, Cashmere and all wool, slightly soiled, age 1 to 4 years, were \$4, \$4.50, \$5; now \$1.85.  
Infants' Long Cashmere Cloaks, in Cream and Tan, at \$1.75.  
An elegant line of Ladies' Aprons, for the holidays, in latest novelties, from 10c to \$3.

#### Men's Overcoats.

Men's Brown and Black Tweed Overcoats, all sizes, were \$5.50; now \$3.50.  
Men's Tailor-made Overcoats, made up from genuine imported Irish Frieze; were \$25; now \$7.50.  
Men's Blue Chinilla and Black Melton Overcoats; were \$12.50; now \$5.50.  
Men's Tailor-made Melton Overcoats, in light, dark and medium colors; were \$30; now \$14.50.

#### MEN'S UNDERWEAR.

Lot Gents' heavy 14-thread silk finish Balbriggan Shirts or Drawers, Shirts, 34 to 48; Drawers, 28 to 44; now 85c, were \$1.50.  
Lot Gents' very heavy Camel's-hair Rib Shirts or Drawers, just dug out of the store, all perfect; shirts, sizes 34 to 48; drawers, 28 to 42; now 85c each; were \$1.50 per suit.

#### MEN'S HALF HOSE.

Lot Gents' heavy Seamless Cotton Half Hose, brown and gray mixed, now for 25c, were 20c a pair.  
Lot Gents' all-wool Camel's hair Seamless Half Hose, now 17½c, were 35c.  
Lot Gents' extra fine imported English Cashmere Half Hose, natural gray and stripes, now 38c, 75c.

#### MEN'S FURNISHINGS.

Lot Men's fine Elastic Suspenders, corded ends and drawer supporters, were 25c.  
Lot Boys' large-size Windsor Bows, in fancy plaids, now 20c, were 35c.  
Lot Gents' extra fine silk-faced Suspenders, in fancy glass boxes, now 50c, were \$1.  
Lot Gents' elegant Embroidered Satin Suspenders, in fancy glass boxes, were \$2.  
Lot Gents' elegant Embroidered Teck and Four-in-Hand Scarfs, now \$1, were \$2.

#### MEN'S OVERSHIRTS.

Lot Men's Fine Flannel-shirt, all sizes, sale price 35c or 3 for \$1, were \$1.  
Lot Gents' heavy All-wool Indigo Blue Flannel Shirts, now \$1.25, were \$2.  
Lot Boys' fine All-wool Indigo Blue Flannel Shirts, \$1 each, were \$1.55.

#### COLORED DRESS GOODS.

Yard-wide Camel's-hair Dress Plaids, were 20c, now 12½c.  
38-inch Cheviot Plaids, splendid value, were 25c, now 15c.  
Imperial Figured Flannels for wrappers, were 40c, now 15c.  
Yard-wide All-wool Cloth Suiting, dark gray and brown mixtures, were now 20c.  
Yard-wide Scotch Striped Chevron Suiting, were 40c, now 25c.  
34-inch Camel's-hair Novelty Plaids, were 65c, now 40c.  
38-inch All-wool Homespun Cheviots, in gray only, were 50c, now 32½c.  
Yard-wide English Bedford Cords, were 50c, now 40c.  
38-inch English Cloth Checks, brown and gray colorings, all pure wool, were now 35c.  
38-inch All-wool Novelty Stripes, were 60c, now 40c.  
38-inch All-wool Scotch Heather Mixtures, were 60c, now 42½c.  
All-wool Chevron Suiting, bourette effect, were 60c, now 45c.  
42-inch All-wool Camel's-hair Homespun, were 65c, now 45c.  
38-inch Imported All-wool Camel's-hair Chevron Stripes, Plaids and Melton, were 65c, now 45c.  
Genuine Imported Storm Serges, navy blue only, were 75c, now 50c.  
38-inch all pure wool French Foulle Serges, were 60c, now 40c.  
40-inch French Bedford Cords, all pure wool, were 85c, now 65c.  
42-inch French Pin Checks, very fine, were \$1.25, now 75c.  
46-inch Superfine French Camel's-hair Serges, were \$1.25, now 65c.  
48-inch French Bedford Cords, special value, were \$1.50, now 95c.

#### Millinery.

Yachting Caps, 38c; reduced from 75c.  
Velvet-top Sailors, 40c; reduced from 75c.  
Knock Sailors in velvet and cloth, 55c; reduced from \$1.  
Knock Sailors in hatter's plush, black and white, 75c; reduced from \$1.50.  
Silk and plush Caps in large sizes, 85c; reduced from \$1.50.  
Silk and plush Caps in large sizes, \$1.50; reduced from \$2.25.

#### SPECIAL.

All our Felt Hats that were 75c, \$1 and \$1.50, now 5c, 25c and 30c.

#### Furs.

1,000 Raccoon Muffs, extra quality, \$1.95; former price, \$3.  
Extra fine Badger Muffs, \$3.49; former price, \$5.  
100 Mink Muffs, \$3.25; worth \$7.50.  
Canada Wolf Seal Muffs, \$2.49; former price, \$3.50.  
Brook Beaver Muffs, \$2.69; former price, \$4.00.  
2½-inch Unlined Black Coney Fur, 20c a yard; former price, 40c a yard.  
Colored Cocco Feather Collarettes, 75c; former price, \$2.25.  
Black French Coney Capes, \$5.50; former price, \$8.75.  
Perfect-fitting Baltic Seal Capes, \$10.50; former price, \$18.50.

#### Boys' Knee-Pant Suits.

Boys' Knee-Pant Suits—a large assortment of checks, stripes and mixed colors, were \$2.25; now \$1.25.  
Boys' Knee-Pant suits in brown, black and blue checks, were \$5.50; now \$2.25.  
Boys' Knee-Pant suits, Scotch and English casimere, were \$5.50; now \$3.75.

#### Boys' Cape Overcoats.

Boys' Cape Overcoats, in dark checks and stripes, were \$3.75; now \$2.25.

#### Umbrellas.

Gloria, natural wood handles, trimmed, were \$1.75, now \$1.25.  
Gloria, natural wood handles, trimmed, were \$2, now \$1.50.  
Twilled Silk, gold handle, were now \$1.75.  
Twilled Silk, bone and silver handles, were \$2.75, now \$1.50.  
Twilled Silk, silver handles, extra were \$5, now \$3.75.

#### A Windfall for the Ladies.

Munsie's Combination Underwear—wool and plaid, non-shrink, silk trim, all sizes, goods were sold at \$2.50, now \$1.50.  
\$1.50  
The same of Ladies' V sold at the counter for \$2 apiece for 79c.

D. CRAWFORD & CO. only yesterday advertised the advantageous purchase of the whole stock of the Mansing Combination Underwear for ladies, and this morning the best ladies in the city were at their store on the opening of the doors to secure a supply of them, and since that hour the demand has been great for them and they are now selling like wildfire.

## D. CRAWFORD & CO.,

Broadway and Franklin Avenue
















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**New York Oysters**  
25 Cents Per Doz.  
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**DESPONDENT CREDITORS**  
They Have Given Up Hope of Recovering From Armour & Taylor.

As far as could be learned this morning nothing had been heard from Mr. Armour of the departed firm of Armour & Taylor, the produce man, who left the city suddenly on Friday night and left his creditors to wonder where he went. Nearly every constable in town has a pocket full of attachments ready to serve, but as there is nothing left to take they have to rest content with watching for Mr. Armour. He owes the hotel at which he stopped a bill of \$22 for board and room. Constable Brady went to the hotel to watch the room in case Armour came in. The clerk said it was room 212 but refused to give up the key. The constable set his men at 212 and waited for a long time but no man came. Then another inquiry was made and the books referred to again and the clerk discovered that the number of the room was 208. He went up to see if the occupant of the room had moved out unknown to the hotel people taking all his possessions with him. The creditors have about decided to give up the hunt here and wait until one of the firm turns up somewhere else.

John W. Howard, 307 Garrison Avenue, makes a specialty of the "Eclipse" champagne.

**The Reform Club.**  
The Reform Club will hold a meeting on Tuesday night at Howard's Hall, Garrison Avenue and Olive street. The single tax question will be the subject of the evening. Mr. George's reply to the Pope's encyclical on land and labor will be read and then a discussion will be had on the subject of "The Private Ownership of Land Rights." Mr. Lohmeyer will take the affirmative and Mr. Brown, Ketter, the negative. Mr. Charles Dreyer was to have taken the negative, but was compelled to decline at the last moment. After the debate on the single tax a general discussion will follow during which all persons interested will be given an opportunity to speak.

**A Positive Luxury.**  
And yet how cheap. A grate fire of our No. 2 Pittsburgh crushed coke; no smoke, no soot. Beats wood or soft coal out of sight.  
DEVOT & FRIEDBERG.

**Malignant Destruction.**  
Joseph Lohmeyer was arrested yesterday on complaint of John J. Ryan, the saloon-keeper, who accused him of malicious destruction of property. Lohmeyer admitted having destroyed some glass in the saloon but says that he and a party of friends went into Ryan's place and bought some drinks. Ryan tried to insist on a second payment and when it was refused attacked the smaller stock and then Lohmeyer, who was accompanied by a party of friends, drew a revolver and shot at Ryan. Ryan was hit in the arm and is now in the hospital.

**Route to Florida.**  
The best route to Florida is via the Louisville & Nashville from St. Louis and the through car line to Jacksonville without change. For tickets and full information call at the company's ticket office, 114 North Fourth street, or address Jno. W. Mass, D. P. A., St. Louis, Mo.

**Attempted to Kill the Baby.**  
Officer McGee of the Third District arrested Matthew Johnson about 3 o'clock yesterday on complaint of Frances Early, who lives at 718 North Eleventh street. She claims that Johnson has been acting inhumanly for the past week and yesterday he went into her room and endeavored to strangle her over the head with a chair and then attempted to cut her baby's throat with a knife. Some of the neighbors prevented him from harming the child. If he proves to be of sound mind he will be prosecuted.

**Ingalls' Installment Plan.**  
Will please you. Diamonds, watches, clocks, jewelry and furniture. Ingalls' 108 Olive.

**A Burglar Caught.**  
A man giving the name of William Bremer attempted to burglarize the residence of Kate Cates, 4106 Page avenue, about 10 o'clock yesterday morning, under the impression that nobody was at home. Mr. Cates heard him passing the front window and opened the door. When they saw the burglar, he fled, but was caught by the police. The burglar was charged with burglary and conveyed him to the station.

**Stole Their Clothing.**  
C. R. Crawford, Treasurer of the Moon Bros. Carriage Co., boards with his wife at 1803 Wash street. Saturday night they retired, leaving the front window slightly open for ventilation. When they awoke yesterday morning they discovered a wonderful loss of wearing apparel. Their clothes, Mr. Crawford's, were missing. A large amount of money was in the drawer and a considerable quantity of jewelry. The loss of a clock and considerable jewelry.

**Killed by a Motor Car.**  
An unknown man fell from the motor car of St. Louis & Suburban train at Belmont and Delmar avenues about 8:30 o'clock last evening. He was instantly killed, the wheels of the train passing over his body. The man was about 5 feet 5 inches high, dark hair and a sandy complexion and wore gray clothes. The remains are at the morgue.

**The Finest Piano for Rent at Half Price at Koerner Piano Co., 108 Olive.**

**Educational Hints.**  
This evening the regular free lecture of the Industrial and Educational Union will be given at the rooms corner of Eleventh and Locust streets. Mr. J. M. Merwin, editor of the Journal of Education will speak on "What Books to Read and How to Read Them." The lecture begins at 8 o'clock and all wages are invited to attend.

**Commendable.**  
All claims not consistent with the high character of Syrup of Figs are purposely avoided by the Cal. Fig Syrup Company. It acts gently on the kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the system effectually, but it is not a cure-all and makes no pretensions that every bottle will not substantiate.

**Cash for Charity.**  
One dollar was sent to this office to-day for Mrs. Mary Hershman, a 70-year-old widow who resides at 1237 North Ninth street, and who has been reported forwarded to her through the office.

**For a Disordered Liver try BEECHAM'S PILLS.**

**Assaulted a Detective.**  
Detective Tom Tracy of the Third District was attacked by a gang of hoodlums on Broadway and Middle street at an early hour yesterday morning. The detective was badly lacerated but managed to arrest two of his assailants.

**Horseford's Acid Phosphate.**  
Imparts Renewed Strength and vigor where there has been exhaustion.

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**Boys' Knee-Pant Suits.**  
\$2.50 and \$2.00 Suits for... .95c  
\$10, \$8.50, \$7.50, \$6.50 and \$5 Suits for... \$3.95

**Boys' Long-Pant Suits.**  
\$7.50 and \$6.50 Suits for... \$3.45  
\$15, \$12.50 and \$10 Suits for... \$7.45

**Men's Overcoats.**  
\$20, \$18.50, \$16.50 and \$15 Overcoats for... \$9.85  
\$12.50 Melton Overcoats for... \$4.95  
\$10 All-Wool Overcoats for... \$3.95

**Men's Pants.**  
\$3 Pants for... \$1.50  
\$7.50 and \$6.50 Pants for... \$3.45

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